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standards for as long as this area continues to meet the 1997 8-hour ozone NAAQS.

(b) Based upon EPA's review of the air quality data for the 3-year period 2008-2010, EPA determined that the Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, North Carolina-South Carolina, 1997 8-hour ozone nonattainment Area attained the 1997 8-hour ozone NAAQS by the applicable attainment date of June 15, 2011. Therefore, EPA has met the requirement pursuant to CAA section 181(b)(2) to determine, based on the Area's air quality as of the attainment date, whether the Area attained the standard. EPA also determined that the Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, North Carolina-South Carolina, 1997 8-hour ozone nonattainment Area is not subject to the consequences of failing to attain pursuant to section 181(b)(2).

[76 FR 70660, Nov. 15, 2011, as amended at 77 FR 13494, Mar. 7, 2012]

§ 52.2126 VOC rule deficiency correction.

Sections I and II of South Carolina's Regulations 62.1 and 62.5 is approved. The State submitted these regulations to EPA for approval on September 18, 1990. Sections I and II of Regulation 62.5 were intended to correct deficiencies cited in a letter calling for the State to revise its SIP for ozone from Mr. Greer C. Tidwell, the EPA Regional Administrator, to Governor Carroll A. Campbell on May 26, 1988, and clarified in a letter from Mr. Winston A. Smith, EPA Region IV, Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division, to Mr. Otto E. Pearson, former Director of the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control:

(a) South Carolina's VOC regulations contain no method for determining capture efficiency. This deficiency must be corrected after EPA publishes guidance on the methods for determining capture efficiency before the SIP for ozone can be fully approved.

(b) [Reserved]

 $[57~{\rm FR}~4161,~{\rm Feb.}~4,~1992,~{\rm as~amended~at}~59~{\rm FR}~17937,~{\rm Apr.}~15,~1994]$

§§ 52.2127-52.2129 [Reserved]

§ 52.2130 Control strategy: Sulfur oxides and particulate matter.

In letters dated May 7, and December 2, 1986, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control certified that no emission limits in the State's plan are based on dispersion techniques not permitted by EPA's stack height rules. This certification does not apply to Public Service Authority—Winyah, SCE& G—Bowater, and SCE & G—Williams.

[54 FR 14651, Apr. 12, 1989]

§52.2131 Significant deterioration of air quality.

(a)-(b) [Reserved]

(c) All applications and other information required pursuant to §52.21 from sources located in the State of South Carolina shall be submitted to the State agency, South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, 2600 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, rather than to EPA's Region 4 office.

[42 FR 4124, Jan. 24, 1977, as amended at 47 FR 6018, Feb. 10, 1982; 74 FR 55143, Oct. 27, 2000]

$\S 52.2132$ Visibility protection.

- (a) [Reserved]
- (b) Regulation for visibility monitoring. The provisions of §52.26 are hereby incorporated and made a part of the applicable plan for the State of South Carolina.
- (c) Long-term strategy. The provisions of §52.29 are hereby incorporated and made part of the applicable plan for the State of South Carolina.
- (d) Regional Haze. The requirements of section 169A of the Clean Air Act are not met because the regional haze plan submitted by South Carolina on December 17, 2007, does not include fully approvable measures for meeting the requirements of 40 CFR 51.308(d)(3) and 51.308(e) with respect to emissions of NO_X and SO₂ from electric generating units. EPA has given limited disapproval to the plan provisions addressing these requirements.
- (e) Measures Addressing Limited Disapproval Associated with NO_X . The deficiencies associated with NO_X identified

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in EPA's limited disapproval of the regional haze plan submitted by South Carolina on December 17, 2007, are satisfied by §52.2140.

(f) Measures Addressing Limited Disapproval Associated with SO₂. The deficiencies associated with SO₂ identified in EPA's limited disapproval of the regional haze plan submitted by South Carolina on December 17, 2007, are satisfied by §52.2141.

[50 FR 28553, July 12, 1985, as amended at 52 FR 45137, Nov. 24, 1987; 77 FR 33658, June 7, 2012; 77 FR 38515, June 28, 2012]

§52.2133 General conformity.

The General Conformity regulations adopted into the South Carolina State Implementation Plan which were submitted on November 8, 1996. South Carolina incorporated by reference regulations 40 CFR part 51, subpart W—determining conformity of General Federal Actions to State or Federal Implementation Plans.

[62 FR 32538, June 16, 1997]

§ 52.2134 Original identification of plan section.

- (a) This section identifies the original "South Carolina Air Quality Implementation Plan" and all revisions submitted by South Carolina that were federally approved prior to July 1, 1997.
- (b) The plan was officially submitted on January 21, 1972.
- (c) The plan revisions listed below were submitted on the dates specified:
- (1) Miscellaneous non-regulatory additions to the plan submitted on May 4, 1972, by the South Carolina Pollution Control Authority.
- (2) Letter requesting delegation of authority submitted on July 21, 1972, by the Governor.
- (3) Miscellaneous wording changes in paragraph 2.B.4 of Regulation 1A; in Sections I.B., II.B, and II.C of Standard 1A; in Section II.D of Standards 2A and in paragraph II of Regulation 4A submitted on August 23, 1972, by the Governor.
- (4) Compliance schedules submitted on February 16, 1973, by the South Carolina Pollution Control Authority.
- (5) Categorical compliance schedule regulation submitted on August 16, 1973, by the South Carolina Depart-

ment of Health and Environmental Control.

- (6) Revised SO₂ emission limits for fuel combustion sources submitted on March 14, 1974, by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control.
- (7) AQMA identification material submitted on March 22, 1974, by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control.
- (8) Revised legal authority with respect to the public availability of emission data, submitted on October 15, 1975, by the Governor of South Carolina.
- (9) Revised particulate emission limits for existing fuel burning sources and requirements for continuous instack monitoring and reporting of opacity by certain of these sources, submitted January 13 and March 30, 1977, by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control. (The revised particulate limits do not apply to International Paper Company's Georgetown facility or to the South Carolina Electric and Gas Company's Hagood Plant in Charleston; for these two sources, the plan's original emission limits continue to apply.)
- (10) Permit changes, specified below, were submitted by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control on May 9, 1979. These changes provide emissions offset for R. B. Donnelley and Sons Company, and apply to M. Lowenstein and Sons, Inc., as follows:
- (i) Operating permit number O/P-42-167 for the operation of five (5) Kingsley Roller Print Dryers (Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7) is cancelled with these dryers not to be operated after June 1, 1979.
- (ii) Operating permit number O/P-42–170 through O/P-42–179 for screen print machine Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, and 12 are reissued to reflect the total and permanent transition from solvent-based print pastes to water-based print pastes on these machines as of June 1, 1979.
- (11) 1979 implementation plan revision for nonattainment areas, submitted on December 20, 1978, by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control.